VIRGINIA PROFILE

Employers by Size of Establishment

0 to 4 employees	134,849
5 to 9 employees	36,671
10 to 19 employees	25,845
20 to 49 employees	18,464
50 to 99 employees	6,320
100 to 249 employees	3,415
250 to 499 employees	948
500 to 999 employees	378
1000 and over employees	219
	227,109 Total Virginia Employers

Employment by Size of Establishment

0 to 4 employees	203,526
5 to 9 employees	243,133
10 to 19 employees	351,228
20 to 49 employees	561,116
50 to 99 employees	433,174
100 to 249 employees	506,023
250 to 499 employees	326,928
500 to 999 employees	260,127
1000 and over employees	578,695
	3,463,950 Total number of Virginians Employed

'Zero; no employment' typically represents new startup firms or sole-proprietorships. Source: Virginia Employment Commission,

Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), 1st Quarter (January, February, March) 2010.

Business Outreach

The Office of the Secretary of Commerce and Trade has the ability through the Virginia Economic Development Partnership and the Department of Business Assistance to communicate with business leadership and allies related to information of importance to businesses in the Commonwealth. In relation to health reform policy, many businesses and business organizations have held seminars and webinars – in addition to written and electronic communication – about the impact of the federal health care reform on their business and or membership. As this will impact many businesses and individuals in different ways – this may be the most efficient and tailored way for dissemination of information.